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Treatment of cerebral ischemia or apoplexy, using N-substituted tetrahydro-pyridopyrimidinone or 1,2-benzisothiazoline-1,1dioxide derivatives having neuroprotective activity C2000-153849

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#### NOVELTY

The use of 3-(aryl-heterocyclyl-alkyl)-tetrahydropyridopyrimidinone or 2-(aryl-heterocyclyl-alkyl)-2,3-dihydro-1,2benzisothiazoline-1,1-dioxide derivatives (I) for the prophylaxis and therapy of cerebral ischemia or apoplexy is new.

**DETAILED DESCRIPTION** 

The use of tetrahydro-pyridopyrimidinone or 1,2-benzisothiazole-1,1-dioxide derivatives of formula Het-A-B-Ar (I) or their acid addition salts is claimed for the preparation of medicaments for the prophylaxis and therapy of cerebral ischemia or apoplexy.

B(6-D8, 6-F3, <u>14-F2C</u>, <u>14-F2D</u>, 14-J1, 14-N16) .5

A = 1-10C alkylene; or 2-10C alkylene containing at least one of O. S. cyclopropyl, COO, CHOH, a double bond and a triple bond;

B = 4-piperidine, 4-tetrahydro-1,2,3,6-pyridine, 4-piperazine or a corresponding group ring-expanded by one CH2 group, bonded to A via N;

Ar = phenyl (optionally substituted by 1-4C alkyl, 1-6C alkoxy, OH, halo, CF<sub>3</sub>, N(R<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>, COOR<sub>2</sub>, CN or Ph), tetralin, indane, higher fused aromatics (e.g. naphthalene (optionally substituted by 1-4C alkyl or 1-4C alkoxy) or anthracene) or a 5- or 6-membered aromatic heterocycle (containing 1 or 2 of O and N, and optionally fused with other aromatic residues);

Het = tetrahydro-pyridopyrimidinone residue of formula (a) or 1,2benzisothiazoline-1,1-dioxide residue of formula (b);

one of X, Y =  $CH_2$  and the other =  $NR_9$ ;

 $R_1$ ,  $R_2 = 1-6C$  alkyl;

 $R_3$ ,  $R_4 = H$ , 1-6C alkyl, OH, 1-6C alkoxy, halo, CF<sub>3</sub>, NR<sub>5</sub>R<sub>6</sub>, COOR<sub>7</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, CN, pyrrole or phenyl-(1-4C) alkyl (optionally ringsubstituted by halo, 1-4C alkyl, 1-4C alkoxy, CF3, OH, NH2, CN or NO<sub>2</sub>);

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 $R_5$ ,  $R_6 = H$ , 1-6C alkyl, COPh, COOtBu or 2-5C alkanoyl;

or  $NR_5R_6 = 5$ - or 6-membered ring optionally containing a second N, e.g. piperazine;

 $R_7 = H \text{ or } 1\text{-}6C \text{ alkyl};$   $R_8 = H \text{ or } 1\text{-}4C \text{ alkyl};$ 

R<sub>9</sub> = H, 1-6C alkyl, 2-5C alkanoyl, COOtBu, aroyl or phenyl-(1-4C) alkyl (optionally ring-substituted by halo, 1-4C alkyl, 1-4C · alkoxy, CF<sub>3</sub>, OH, NH<sub>2</sub>, CN or NO<sub>2</sub>).

#### ACTIVITY

Neuroprotective; cerebroprotective; vasotropic. No examples demonstrating biological activity are given.

#### **MECHANISM OF ACTION**

None given.

**USE** 

For treating or preventing neurodegeneration, cerebral trauma and cerebral ischemia (especially apoplexy), and the sequelae of these diseases. (I) have neuroprotective action.

## SPECIFIC COMPOUNDS

 $\overline{566}$  Compounds (I; Het = (a)) are disclosed, e.g. 3-(2-(4-(2methoxyphenyl)-1-piperazinyl)-ethyl)-3,5,7,8-tetrahydro-4-oxo-6benzyl-pyrido (4,3-d) pyrimidine (Ia);

639 compounds (I; Het = (b)) are disclosed, e.g. 3,3-dimethyl-2-(3-(4tetralin-5-yl)-piperazin-1-yl)-prop-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1,2benzisothiazoline-1,1-dioxide (Ib).

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# ADMINISTRATION

Daily dose is 1-100 mg/kg orally or 0.1-10 mg/kg parenterally.

#### TECHNOLOGY FOCUS

Organic Chemistry - Preparation: (I; Het = (a)) are described as described in DE19747063 and (I; Het = (b) are described in DE19746612.

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